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8. Whenever any factory, mill, or workshop is used for the handling or production of anything or material in the handling or manufacturing of which there is danger of producing in the workmen any of the so-called occupational diseases, the person, firm, or corporation owning or operating such factory, mill, or workshop shall supply all necessary means, which may be prescribed by the board of health from time to time in the interests of health, for the protection of workmen so employed from said occupational diseases, and they shall strictly observe and cause to be observed all other rules and regulations that have been or may be prescribed by said board of health in the interests of health for the protection of said workmen from said occupational diseases.

9. There shall be provided for each factory, mill, or workshop in operation a plentiful supply of pure water at all times.

10. In all factories, mills, workshops, or such places, there shall be provided a water-closet or privy in conformity with these regulations for every 20 persons therein employed, and where there be less than 20 persons employed therein at least one closet or privy shall be supplied: *Provided further*, Where persons of both sexes are employed in such places, privies or water-closets shall be provided for each sex, in different parts of said building, conforming to the rule as stated above.

11. There shall be supplied for every factory, mill, workshop, or other similar place a sufficient quantity of water for toilet purposes, and adequate equipment for the cleanly washing of hands.

12. Drinking cups, towels, and soap to be used in common shall not be provided or permitted in any such factory, mill, or workshop.

13. No person who is suffering from any contagious or infectious disease, acute or chronic, shall be permitted to work in any factory, mill, office, workshop, or other similar place where persons assemble for work when infection or contagion therefrom shall be dangerous to persons therein or to the public.

14. Any person, firm, or corporation violating any of these regulations, or any superintendent, manager, or proprietor who shall permit the violation of any of these regulations shall be subject to a penalty of \$25 for each and every such offense and each day's continuance after due and legal notice has been given to abate or discontinue any act or condition herein declared to be unlawful shall constitute a separate and distinct offense.

#### **Barbers and Barber Shops—Regulation of. (Reg. Bd. of H., Sept. 8, 1914.)**

SEC. 46. *Barber shops, etc., regulations governing.*—1. Every person, firm, or corporation in New Hanover County who desires to establish a barber shop or any other of the businesses named in this section, or who desires to continue and maintain a barber shop or such businesses, shall make application to the board of health for permission so to do. Such application shall be made in writing and shall set forth the name of the proprietor or owner, the name of the manager, and the names of all persons who are employed in said barber shop, together with the location, giving the street and number where such shop is to be operated and maintained. If, upon inspection, it is found that such location is suitable and that the persons to be employed are free from all communicable diseases and that the following regulations can be strictly observed, then the board of health shall issue to such person, firm, or corporation the permit applied for and such barber shop shall be open at all reasonable times for inspection by agents of the board of health and officers of the health department, and the owner or manager and all of the employees therein shall conform strictly to the following regulations:

2. No person shall be employed in a barber shop as a barber, manicure, chiropodist, hair dresser, masseur, or bath attendant who is suffering from any communicable disease.

3. All places within the county of New Hanover used as barber shops, together with the furniture, fixtures, tools, implements, and linen, shall be kept in a clean and sanitary condition at all times.

4. Mugs, shaving brushes, scissors, combs, and other tools and appliances of like nature that will admit of such treatment shall, after use on each person, be sterilized by immersion in boiling water or in alcohol of at least 60 per cent strength.

5. A separate clean towel or face cloth shall be used for each customer.

6. The common use of powder puffs and sponges is prohibited.

7. No alum or other astringent shall be used in stick form. If used at all, such astringent must be in powder form.

8. All hair brushes, hair dusters, and analogous articles shall be washed thoroughly at frequent intervals and kept scrupulously clean at all times.

9. No barber shall permit any person to use the headrest of any barber's chair under his control unless said headrest is covered with a towel that has been washed since last being used or with a clean, new paper.

10. No barber shall shave any person when the surface to be shaved is inflamed or broken out or contains pus unless such person be provided with a cup and shaving brush for his individual use.

11. Every barber or other employee, as stated above, shall cleanse his hands thoroughly immediately before serving each customer.

12. Every barber shall, while serving customers, wear a washable apron or coat, which shall be kept clean.

13. No person shall use a barber shop as a place in which to sleep, nor shall any proprietor or owner thereof permit said shop to be so used.

14. Every barber or other person in charge of any barber shop shall furnish a plentiful supply of hot and cold water and shall use hot-water tanks for no other purpose than that of heating water.

15. The owner or proprietor of every barber shop shall keep a copy of these regulations, which shall be furnished by the board of health, posted in said shop for the information and guidance of persons working or employed therein.

16. Any owner, proprietor, barber, or other employee violating any of the provisions of these regulations shall be subject to a penalty of \$25 for each and every such offense.

#### **Laundries—Location and Sanitary Regulation of. (Reg. Bd. of H., Sept. 8, 1914.)**

SEC. 47. *Laundries, construction, sanitation.*—It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to establish, maintain, or carry on a public laundry within the city of Wilmington or in any other incorporated municipality in New Hanover County in any building or in any portion thereof or in any annex thereto that shall be occupied or used, either directly or indirectly, as a public hall, store, restaurant, or lodging house, or that is frequented or occupied by many persons, or that is occupied as a stopping place, or is frequented by persons likely to spread infectious, contagious, or loathsome diseases, or that is occupied or used or frequented, directly or indirectly, for any immoral or unlawful purpose. No person, firm, or corporation shall employ in the conduct or operation of a public laundry any person suffering from any contagious, infectious, or loathsome disease, or shall permit any person suffering from any such disease to frequent or remain in any portion of any building used for any of the purposes of conducting a public laundry in said city or municipalities.

SEC. 48. *Laundries, regulations governing.*—Excepting in cases where clothes are dried by the forced circulation of heated air, or by the circulation of the clothes mechanically through air artificially heated, it shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation conducting, maintaining, or operating a public laundry within the